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## JUNE 2026 NEWSLETTER: HARVESTING AUTONOMY AND LEADERSHIP

Welcome to our June edition! This month, we are pleased to share three stories that embody the very essence of **Coffee Care: true sustainability.**

We celebrate one of our most emblematic **Coffee Clubs** taking the important step toward full institutional autonomy. We also crossed borders through the expertise of our technical team, supporting sister projects in Central America with the support of **Tchibo.**

Finally, we take pride in seeing how technical training opportunities are transformed into entrepreneurial success through individual dedication and perseverance.

Join us as we explore how the seeds we have planted are beginning to bear fruit independently.

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## MISSION ACCOMPLISHED:

### THE FE Y ALEGRÍA COFFEE CLUB ACHIEVES AUTONOMY

At **Coffee Care**, we have a clear philosophy: we work to foster empowerment, not dependency.

With this principle in mind, when we launched the **Coffee Club** project at **Fe y Alegría** Institute we established a three-year mentorship and support agreement. This cycle was successfully completed in May.

We are thrilled to announce that, from now on, Fe y Alegría will independently manage and continue the project.

We are confident that the club has become fully institutionalized within its structure and is ready to operate autonomously and successfully for many years to come.

This achievement is living proof that our intervention model works, leaving lasting capacities within local institutions so they can continue preparing future generations of coffee professionals independently.

Congratulations to the entire **Fe y Alegría** team for embracing this legacy!





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## INTERNATIONAL EXCHANGE:

### LESLY PALACIOS BRINGS HER EXPERTISE TO HONDURAS

The talent and expertise of the **Coffee Care** team are reaching beyond Guatemala's borders. Lesly Palacios, our Social Coordinator for the "**Coffee to Stay**" project, was invited to serve as a facilitator in a participatory methodologies training held in Honduras.

This workshop is part of a sister project of the same name that our sponsor, **Tchibo**, is implementing in the neighboring country alongside local partners.

Lesly's participation represents an important first step in promoting international knowledge exchange among sister projects, while also strengthening her own professional journey as she develops into a future regional facilitation expert.

We are proud to see how the experience gained in our communities is now serving as inspiration and guidance for technical teams throughout Central America.



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## POSITIVE STORIES

### FLORIDALMA GARCÍA'S JOURNEY: FROM TRAINING TO ENTREPRENEURSHIP

At **Coffee Care**, we strive to plant knowledge and foster values, but we are fully aware that we only provide the tools; it is people, through their courage and determination, who transform opportunities into meaningful achievements. Today, we want to celebrate the inspiring story of Floridalma García Sánchez.

Since 2024, Floridalma has pursued training in hairstyling. She later specialized in colorimetry and recently completed her technical training in cosmetology at **INTECAP**, as part of our **"Learn and Invest"** project.

From day one, she demonstrated remarkable determination, and today, after months of hard work, perseverance, and sacrifice, she has officially opened the doors of her own business.

Her salon is the direct result of her dedication and personal effort. We celebrate this important milestone with you, Floridalma, and are delighted to know that the journey we began together has become the foundation for your entrepreneurial success.

***You are a true inspiration!***